

**ASSEMBLY BILL**

**No. 908**

**Introduced by Assembly Member Chu**

February 18, 2005

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An act to amend Section 100333 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to public health.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 908, as introduced, Chu. Compilation of hazardous materials laws.

Existing law requires the State Department of Health Services to annually publish a compilation of the laws regarding hazardous materials. Existing law authorizes the department to contract with Legislative Counsel and the Department of General Services to create, print, and distribute the compilation. Existing law states the intent of the Legislature that the revenues from the distribution of the compilation be used by the department to fund the creation of the compilation.

This bill would make a technical, nonsubstantive change to existing law.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no.  
State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 100333 of the Health and Safety Code is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 100333. (a) The department shall annually compile and
- 4 publish the laws relating to the use, handling, transportation,
- 5 storage, and disposal of hazardous materials, including, but not

1 limited to, hazardous wastes, flammable materials, corrosives,  
2 explosives, pesticides, and radioactive materials together with  
3 laws relating to administration, enforcement, and emergency  
4 response. The compilation shall reflect the amendments,  
5 additions, and deletions enacted each year.

6 (b) The department may contract with the Legislative Counsel  
7 to prepare the compilation of laws required by subdivision (a)  
8 and with the Department of General Services to print and  
9 distribute the compilation. Copies of the compilation shall be  
10 distributed at cost.

11 ~~(c) During the 1985-86 fiscal year, the department shall~~  
12 ~~absorb the costs of preparing the compilation from existing~~  
13 ~~appropriations. It is the intent of the Legislature, commencing~~  
14 ~~with the 1986-87 fiscal year, to appropriate revenues received~~  
15 ~~from the distribution of the compilation to the department for~~  
16 ~~carrying out the purposes of this section.~~